

**Minutes – Clinton County Board of Health
Public Meeting held
December 6th, 2018 – 7:30 a.m.
Clinton County Administration Building – Conference Room “B”
1900 N. 3rd St., Clinton**

<u>Board Members</u>	Dr. Mary Malcom	Absent
	Dr. O. Daniel Osaro	Present
	Dr. Sheryl Ernst	Absent
	Jean Morgan, RN, BSN, MSED	Present
	Don Thiltgen	Present

Staff Present Shane McClintock, Director to the Board of Health
 Kelli Eggers, Administrative Assistant to the Board of Health

Others Present

Michele Cullen, Genesis VNA
Lauren Schwardt, CSAC
Jocelyn Meyer, Bridgeview
Nancy Burns, Emergency Management
Tom Determann, Board of Supervisors
Joanne Hermiston, Women’s Health Services

Thiltgen called the meeting to order at 7:34 a.m. Roll call showed 3 members present. It was **moved** by **Osaro**, seconded by **Morgan**, to **APPROVE** the October 11th, 2018 minutes as submitted. Motion carried 3-0.

AGENDA ITEM III – BOARD OF HEALTH

Eggers noted that agency/departmental updates are welcome on the Board of Health section of the Clinton County website. Agencies may report any updates or changes to **Eggers**.

AGENDA ITEM IV – COMMITTEE REPORTS

- A. **Finance** – No updates.
- B. **Personnel** – No updates.
- C. **Total Quality Management** – No updates.

AGENDA ITEM V – DEPARTMENT REPORTS

- A. **Environmental Services-** **McClintock** noted that the Board of Supervisors has passed a

resolution to start the Elvira septic systems. He is now waiting on bids and hopes to start in the spring. The FY 18 Swimming, Tattoo, and Tanning report was submitted by Scott County. **McClintock** noted that the report looks worse than it is. It is mostly regarding MSD reports not being up to date and no danger to the public. **McClintock** stated that **Cullen** received a policy statement from Cerro Gordo Public Health. This is in support of the 3/8th cent tax increase. **Osaro** questioned when the last tax increase was. **McClintock** stated this was encouraged for all counties to look at and if in support, we can write up something similar. **Thiltgen** suggested **McClintock** get in touch with Mary Wolfe as support from her colleagues may help. **Cullen** states that public health associations are in support and want local boards to support it first before going further. **Thiltgen** suggested adding to the agenda for the next meeting.

- B. Genesis VNA & Hospice**– **Cullen** stated she has no report available due to computer issues. Regarding school flu shots, they have seen 1913 students or a 35% penetration rate with no incidents. The Nurse Family Partnership is full with 26 clients. 33 children were seen in November for other immunizations than flu. The Let's Live Healthy Clinton Initiative continues to work on the 5-2-1-0 Grant. Initiatives include working with daycare surveys and awarding them for participating. Funds will also go toward the Splash Dash event. The Eat Well Group continues to work with healthy vegetables and how to use and prepare fruits. The school Healthy Snack List is also being revised. Clinton has a school garden that has not had a champion, so that will be worked on as well. Another initiative includes decreasing screen time. The Community Health Needs Assessment will be on January 16th at 7:30 am. **Morgan** noted that there are 2 indoor pools in the area that are having issues and this certainly coincides with the wellness initiative. **Cullen** stated that Shannon with the YWCA is on the initiative.
- C. Hillcrest Family Services/WIC**– Unable to attend. Informational report submitted.
- D. Early Childhood Iowa/DECAT**– Not in attendance.
- E. Clinton Substance Abuse Council (GIC & CDC)**- **Schwardt** stated that the City of Clinton had its first outreach event for the Care Grant. This is regarding opioid issues and helps with those with addiction. These meetings will be held once a month at the Salvation Army and you may walk in. The city of Clinton is developing a Crime Free Housing Initiative. The Parent Education Series will have its 6th session tonight regarding bullying at Clinton Middle School. January 15th at St. Joseph's in DeWitt will be regarding vaping, juuling, and electronic cigarettes. The January 30th class will be regarding human trafficking at Camanche Middle School. The first two sessions had high attendance. 23 community members attended a Connections Matters class. This taught the power of connections. Each of the attendees can now train 10 more people. **Cullen** said that this was presented by the Prevent Child Abuse Council and noted that those who have high ACE (adverse childhood experiences) scores, had no connections. This is also evident with teen pregnancy. **Schwardt** noted that many places in the Clinton area give drug paraphernalia access to youth. This was noted thru the Gateway Impact Coalition. CDC has heavy focus currently on youth between 8th and 9th grades as this is a very trying

time for adolescents with changes.

- F. Women's Health Services— Osaro** motioned to **APPROVE** the 1st quarter Rapid HIV claim and 1st semester of Teen Success claim, **Morgan** seconded. Motion carried 3-0. **Hermiston** noted that community education and outreach fiscal year results to date show about 3000 that they have been in contact with this year. This is a 40% year to date increase over last year. Some recent events for Women's Health Services include the First United Methodist Church for their harvest event, Gilda's Club for their breast cancer event, a CPPC event, the Holiday Women's Expo, The Red Kettle Run, and the Big Brothers/Big Sisters Parent-Child Outreach. A flier was submitted regarding their partnership in helping to stock toiletries for the Community Resource Room for those in need. At the federal level, flat funding was passed for Title X. Regarding FY 2020, the state's portion will decrease 8.63% for funding. Many states received decreases. **Hermiston** noted that they are working with local primary care providers to have understanding agreements regarding seeing patients who are low income or uninsured and are referred from Women's Health Services. Additional trainings have been done including family planning and fertility based methods. An article was submitted regarding proposing expanding religious exemption for employers and not offering birth control coverage. Patients are being sent to this program but it is not properly funded. The AEA has been working with Clinton and Camanche schools and may possibly put in an alternative school. If this was done, they would partner with the school for services.
- G. Area Substance Abuse Council (ASAC)/New Directions-** Not in attendance.
- H. Bridgeview Community Mental Health Center— Meyer** stated that their reports will not be out until January. They have been a part of the Gateway Impact Coalition's Parent Education Series. One was held at the Camanche Middle School last week regarding anxiety disorders in youth and teens. This class had great resources for attendee's children and grandchildren. Bridgeview has been contracted for peer support regarding the Opioid Treatment Grant. Psychologist John Keraus is retiring after 30 years of service. A replacement will be needed. Mercy offered the final deal regarding a new facility. The entire south campus was offered, however Bridgeview would have to do the improvements. This will not work for financial reasons. So, they are now looking for options once again. **Osaro** questioned whether foundations or grants would be of assistance. **Meyer** stated yes, these things in the process. The city of Clinton is helping to possibly find land.
- I. Center for Alcohol & Drug Services, Inc. (CADS)-** Not in attendance.
- J. Emergency Management— Burns** explained that they recently took part in a Ground Search class. A drone was used to see how much faster it worked than ground search. Run, Hide, Fight trainings continue. They will do trainings in the future for Clinton Community College and Nestle Purina. Stop the Bleed trainings have also been busy. Kits were received for all fire trucks and law enforcement vehicles. On January 9th, 2 classes will be offered and are open to the public. **Burns** will send the flier when it is available for this event. A Radiological Emergency Preparedness class was given at

Exelon. Tomorrow they will meet with FEMA to see their recommendations following the class. A flier regarding the Basic Moulage Training was submitted. This class on December 15th offers makeup to simulate wounds making the training more realistic.

K. Community Health Care, Inc- Not in attendance.

L. Maternal Child Adolescent Health (MCAH)- Unable to attend. Informational report submitted including agency name update to EveryStep Care and Support Services.

AGENDA ITEM VI – BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Determann stated they were informed Monday that the old jail will be imploded. Regarding the Clinton County Courthouse, it is an all winter project to reinforce the piers. In the spring, they will go around the outside and take the dirt away and waterproof the foundation adding tile for drainage. Regarding mental health, more mandates have been given by the state with no money. They are generating 9.2 million dollars but spending 15 million. This continues to be an issue.

AGENDA ITEM VII – PUBLIC COMMENT – None.

AGENDA ITEM VIII – OLD BUSINESS- Discussion resumed regarding the Board of Health Title X statement. It is in agreement that the current statement gets the point across without being too lengthy. **Osaro** motioned to **APPROVE** the current draft statement, **Morgan** seconded. Motion carried 3-0. The statement will be added to the county website. **Hermiston** will provide **Eggers** with direction of others that it can be mailed to as well. **Morgan** questioned **Cullen** on funding for a shingles vaccine. **Cullen** will check into this, but noted that stores such as CVS or Walgreens sometimes have discounts on it. **Osaro** noted that the vaccine is roughly \$129, down from around \$300.

AGENDA ITEM IX – NEW BUSINESS - None.

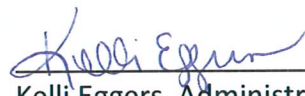
AGENDA ITEM X – NEXT MEETING DATE

January 31st, 2019 and March 28th, 2019 at 7:30 am at the Clinton County Administration Building, Conference Room “B”.

AGENDA ITEM XI – ADJOURNMENT

Motion by **Osaro**, seconded by **Morgan**, to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously. Meeting was adjourned at 8:34 a.m.

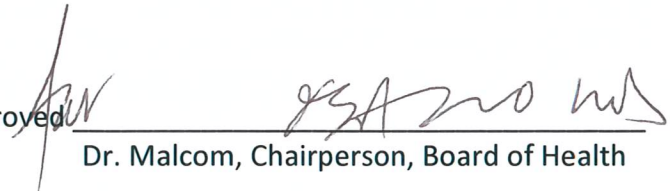
Respectfully Submitted,



Kelli Eggers, Administrative Assistant to

the Board of Health

Approved



Dr. Malcom, Chairperson, Board of Health

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